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## Voters Faced With Maze Of Referendum Questions

In addition to voting for a Presidential candidate and members of Congress, Greenbelt residents will have the opportunity at Tuesday's general election to approve or disapprove 21 proposed State constitutional amendments, 5 county charter amendments, and 2 local referendum proposals.

The proposed State constitutional amendments were passed by a 3/5 vote in both houses of the General Assembly in the 1975 and 1976 sessions, but they will not become law unless they are approved by a majority of voters in the general election.

Most of the constitutional amendments deal with local issues, none of which affect Prince Georges; but the Maryland constitution provides that these items must be on the ballot in all counties and voted on by all the voters in the State.

Probably the constitutional amendment of most local interest is "Question 19," which if approved would allow Prince Georges county to condemn private land around METRO subway stops, develop plans for the land, and resell it to private developers. Under present eminent domain powers, the county can condemn land, but only for public uses like streets and schools.

Municipalities generally are opposing the amendment because they fear that the county will bypass their wishes in the development plans. The proposed amendment provides that if there is municipal opposition, a 3/4 vote of the county council is necessary to undertake a development plan. Municipalities are seeking an absolute veto power.

Among the substantive constitutional amendments having State-wide effect are the ones reforming the legal system, including expansion of jurisdiction of district courts to include juvenile cases; providing for a method of establishing the salary of the Governor without holding a referendum; establishing the requirements for a referendum petition; allowing State funds to be spent for rehabilitation of rail freight lines; and permitting the establishment of a special state prosecutor to deal with political corruption.

A major local question deals with a county bond issue of \$43 million for the financing, construction, acquisition, improvement renovation or extension of the Prince Georges county hospital and related facilities, other county buildings, public roads, streets, highways, sidewalks, and bicycle paths.

Another perennial question is that of the Sunday Blue Law. Voters will be asked to vote on the question of permitting businesses to stay open on Sunday with no limitations (Question G). If the referendum proposal is defeated, current laws that allow limited Sunday business would remain in effect.

The Prince Georges' charter changes include a prohibition against sex discrimination by contractors doing business with the county; setting of monetary limitation on compensation awards against employees of the county; increasing the amount from \$2,000

to \$5,000 above which competitive bids are required; including executive directors of boards and commissions in the exempt service; and a technical amendment dealing with the designation of holidays for purposes of determining proper dates for public hearings.

Not appearing on the ballot is the question of the METRO "E" line to Greenbelt. The county council had sought to gauge public opinion on the construction of this line through an advisory question on the ballot, but Circuit Court Judge Samuel W. H. Meloy had ruled in mid-August that the State election machinery could not be used for this purpose.

Also on the ballot are two judge-ships to be filled. None of the candidates has opposition.

### WHAT GOES ON

Fri., Oct. 29, 1 p.m. Center School Halloween Costume Parade, Center Mall

Sat., Oct. 30, 10 a.m.-12 Annual Halloween-Costume Parade and Party - Youth Center

6-8 p.m. Trick or Treat Night UNICEF Collection

Sun., Oct. 31, 1:30-4:30 p.m. Eleanor Roosevelt Senior High School Open House

Mon., Nov. 1, 8 p.m. City Council Meeting, Municipal Bldg.

Tues., Nov. 2, 7 a.m.-8 p.m. Schools Closed - General Election

Wed., Thurs., Nov. 3&4, 8 p.m. GHI Information meetings on Budget, Board room, Hamilton Pl.

### E. Roosevelt Open House

On Sun., Oct. 31, Eleanor Roosevelt High School will hold its first open house. The combination PTA and public event will run from 1:30-4:30 p.m. The program includes the showing of a short film about the school, "Orientation to Eleanor Roosevelt". It was made by school personnel under the direction of Jack Steiffer, a science teacher. Hopefully, the film will be shown in the school's auditorium if the finishing touches that are needed to complete the facility are completed in time. Following the film guests will be shown through the school by student guides. Refreshments will be served, and T.V. sets will be available for Redskin enthusiasts.

### Women For Carter

Women are invited to participate in the 51.3% Committee Caravan for Carter on Friday, October 29 which will start at Beltway Plaza at 2:30 p.m. The caravan will visit and campaign at various shopping centers in the area.

### UNICEF NIGHT COLLECTION

The Church School members of Mowatt Memorial United Methodist Church will be collecting for UNICEF during the scheduled Trick or Treat hours from 6 to 8 p.m. on Saturday, October 30. Contributions received will be used by the UNICEF program to ease world hunger.

## Franklin Roosevelt, Jr. Comes to Greenbelt

by Sandra Barnes

Franklin Delano Roosevelt, Jr. came to Greenbelt last Thursday afternoon and spoke to a small group of citizens who stood in the blustery October sunshine to reminisce about those days over 40 years ago when planning this new community created a lot of hope for the future. Planners envisioned that the building of Greenbelt not only meant thousands of construction jobs for the unemployed but also meant low cost homes with emphasis on safety, convenience and beauty. The families who lived in the homes would generate a deep sense of community spirit because of their pleasant and healthful environment.

In speaking to the crowd at the Center Mall, Roosevelt took the opportunity to do a little politicking, comparing his father's sense of spirit and imagination to that of the current candidate for the presidency, Jimmy Carter. Carter, he said, also is seeking to rebuild confidence in America by putting people back to work. He compared those early days when the Roosevelt administration was willing to try new programs such as WPA, the National Youth Administration and the Civilian Conservation Corps, with what Carter hopes to achieve in his administration.

Many in the audience greeted Roosevelt with enthusiasm and warmth. Many were "original" Greenbelters, among the first to move to Greenbelt when the new town was created. They applauded FDR several times during his speech. Roosevelt said that he had come to Greenbelt with his mother during the construction of the town and he had listened with interest to the many conversations his father had with Rexford Tugwell, the person the President had delegated to be in charge of building the new towns (the other two towns were Greendale, Wisconsin and Green Hills, Ohio).

Mayor Gil Weidenfeld welcomed FDR to Greenbelt, noting that "Without the vision of President Roosevelt, we would not have this city, which we in Greenbelt believe is second to none. We the residents of Greenbelt have a destiny with that vision; to continue to work for a well-planned community, to continue to improve the quality of life in Greenbelt and to continue to provide a 'green belt' around our city."

In addition to the distinguished members of the community, also present to greet Roosevelt were Christine Sarbanes, wife of candidate Paul Sarbanes, who is running for the U. S. Senate, and Congresswoman Gladys Spellman.

Roosevelt emphasized that, "We need to bring back the kind of spirit and adventure that prevailed in Greenbelt . . . by finding new solutions to the problems of our times as we did in Greenbelt 40 years ago."

With those words the tall, craggy-faced son of the former president departed, leaving in the air a sense of history, of nostalgia, and of confidence in the future of our country.

## 8,900 Greenbelters Registered To Vote In Tuesday Election

Democratic candidates are expected to take advantage of their party's 3 to 1 edge in registration in the balloting in Greenbelt next Tuesday, November 2. Of Greenbelt's 8,877 eligible voters, 5,868 (66%) are Democratic, 1,932 (22%) are Republican, and 1,077 (12%) are unaffiliated or minor party. These ratios vary only slightly from precinct to precinct, with Springhill Lake having relatively fewer Democrats and more independents.

The 1976 registration figures show an increase of about 480 from the 1972 figures. Four years ago the Democratic proportion was the same — 66% — but the Republicans had 26% of the registration and the independents, 8%.

The polls will be open from 7 a.m. to 8 p.m. in three precincts: Center School (third precinct),

North End School (sixth precinct), and Springhill Lake Elementary School (eighth precinct). Voters are reminded that they are eligible to vote if they have participated in any Greenbelt General Election (not city) within the past five years.

Only three contests are at stake in the election: (1) the Presidential sweepstakes between the Republican ticket of Gerald R. Ford - Robert J. Dole and the Democratic ticket of Jimmy Carter - Walter Mondale; (2) the Senatorial race between incumbent Republican J. Glenn Beall, Jr. and Democrat Paul S. Sarbanes (plus an independent candidate, Bruce Bradley); and (3) the fight over the House Congressional seat from the 5th District, which involves a rematch between incumbent Gladys Noon Spellman and Republican John Burcham.

Observers generally believe that the closest contest in Greenbelt will be for the Presidency. Four years ago Greenbelt Democrats barely managed to carry the city for challenger George McGovern against President Richard Nixon by a 52.3 percent majority. At the same time McGovern lost the State of Maryland by about 310,000 votes. In 1968 Humphrey received 54.6 percent of the vote in Greenbelt and carried the State by a bare 17,000 votes.

This gives rise to the speculation that a Carter victory margin in Greenbelt of less than 55 percent would presage his defeat at the State level.

Gladys Spellman is expected to lead the Democratic ticket in Greenbelt. Two years ago she carried Greenbelt with a 63 percent majority, but she barely won the 5th District over Republican John Burcham by 4,000 votes. In fact, the Greenbelt margin of 1,000 votes supplied her with one-fourth of the votes needed to win the seat. It seems clear that Mrs. Spellman would have to carry Greenbelt by at least a 60 percent majority if the Greenbelt vote is to be a harbinger of a Spellman victory for the entire District.

Recent Greenbelt results for the House seat shows how volatile the vote is:

	Dem.	Rep.	Dem. %
1966	2,087	1,727	54.6
1968	3,059	2,926	50.9
1970	2,690	2,350	53.4
1972	3,093	3,740	45.3
1974	2,341	1,398	62.6

The Senatorial contest is expected to see a Sarbanes margin in Greenbelt that falls between the Carter and Spellman vote. Six years ago when Republican J. Glenn Beall unseated incumbent Democrat Joseph D. Tydings, he garnered just 32 percent of the vote in Greenbelt, but still carried the State by about 30,000 votes.

Beall now has the advantage of incumbency over newcomer Paul Sarbanes. Two years ago incumbent Republican Senator Charles MacC Mathias, Jr. racked up a 59 percent majority in Greenbelt over Democratic challenger Barbara Mikulski. A Beall vote of more than 40 percent in Greenbelt may indicate difficulty for Sarbanes in carrying the State.

In the last presidential election of 1972, about 86 percent of the 8,395 eligibles voted. It is doubtful whether the 1976 figure will reach this proportion, in light of the indications of public apathy and unhappiness over the presidential alternatives offered the voters.

Because there are 28 referendum-type questions on the ballot, election officials are urging citizens to vote during the day to avoid the evening rush. Under polling rules, voters waiting in line at 8 p.m. are permitted to vote, but any voters joining the waiting line after that time may not be able to vote.

### AGENDA

#### REGULAR MEETING OF CITY COUNCIL

Monday, Nov. 1, 1976

8:00 P.M.

#### I. ORGANIZATION

1. Call to Order
2. Roll Call
3. Meditation  
Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag
4. Minutes of Regular Meeting of October 18, 1976
5. Additions to Agenda by Councilmen and Manager

#### II. COMMUNICATIONS

6. Petitions and Requests
7. Administrative Reports
8. Committee Reports

#### III. OLD BUSINESS

9. An Ordinance to Amend Section 11-42, "Parking Time Limitations" of the Greenbelt City Code, to Restrict Parking to Two Hours Between 8:00 A.M. and 6:00 P.M. During Weekdays in Certain Spaces in the West Parking Lot of the Greenbelt Commercial Center - Second Reading
10. A Resolution to Establish an Advisory Committee on Elderly Housing - Second Reading
11. A Resolution Authorizing Execution of an Amending Contract for Grant - Second Reading

#### IV. NEW BUSINESS

12. Audit Report
13. Bid Award - Police Squad Cars
14. Legislation - Redraft of House Bill 1261-1976, State Secondary and Primary Highway Improvements
15. Request for Right-of-Way Easement - WSSC
16. Expiration of Advisory Planning Board Appointments
17. Employment of Inspection Engineer for Glen Ora

#### V. MISCELLANEOUS

#### TRICK OR TREAT

'Trick or Treat' hours in Greenbelt will be from 6-8 p.m. on Saturday, October 30. Residents wishing to participate should turn on their porch lights or, for apartment dwellers, tie a piece of white cloth on their door knob. Happy Halloween!!!!

### Attention: GHI Members

Informational Meetings on 1977 Budget

Wed., Nov. 3 and Thurs., Nov. 4

8 p.m.

at Board Room, Hamilton Place

Budget Documents Will Be Available at

GHI Office Prior to Meetings



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## Bicentennial Activities

by Stephen Polaschik

Greenbelt citizens have a great opportunity next Tuesday, November 2, to go to the polls to cast their votes for national leaders who will lead us into the third century of the United States' existence.

For anyone who hasn't been active in any of the major Bicentennial activities which have taken place here during the past two years, this is one of the last chances to do something very constructive in 1976. With the cooperation of all citizens, young and old, Greenbelt can be a community with the highest percentage of voter turn-out in the county, the state, and perhaps, the nation.

### Art Fair

Put a note on the calendar to attend the Bicentennial Art Fair on November 1 or 13. The event will be held at Beltway Plaza under the joint sponsorship of the Greenbelt Bicentennial Committee and the Baha'i Community. The Fair's theme is "Unity in Diversity."

## Police Blotter

Several complaints of dogs running loose and chasing citizens, either walking alone or walking their own leashed animals, have been reported recently. Pet owners are reminded that animals must be on leash or under effective control of their owners at all times.

Three local male juveniles were charged with disorderly conduct after they were reported for harassing a neighbor. Juvenile Services action is pending.

After breaking up a fight between two individuals at a local shopping center one night, PFC Lann charged two local subjects and one non-resident with a variety of charges including disorderly conduct, resisting arrest and hindering a police officer. Court action is pending.

After receiving a complaint from a resident of Parkway Road, two adults and one juvenile from the Brentwood-Mt. Rainier area were arrested for breaking and entering a locked garage on Parkway Road. The juvenile was released to parental custody pending Juvenile Services action and the adults were incarcerated.

A resident of Springhill Lake complained that he had been accosted as he was leaving the Springhill Lake Recreation Center, and his bicycle was stolen. A lookout has been placed for the culprits.

Two apartments in Springhill Lake were entered forcibly during the week. Jewelry and various electronic equipment were taken. A townhouse on Laurel Hill Road was entered via an unlocked door and a bicycle was stolen. A construction trailer was also forcibly entered and a chain saw was taken. Lookouts have been placed for the missing items. A motorcycle was stolen from the Springhill Lake area. Lookouts have been placed for the missing vehicle.

Cpl. Kenneth L. Stair, the Department's Juvenile officer, has completed a seminar at the University of Maryland on the Juvenile Offender. Cpl. Stair has just completed training sessions at all the elementary schools for this year's School Safety Patrols.

Det. Cpl. Ernest W. Brumley has completed a seminar on Homicide Investigation held at the University of Maryland.

## COUNTY HISTORIC HOMES ON TOUR

The Prince Georges Bicentennial Historic Homes Tour on October 30-31 will include four historic properties of The Maryland-National Capital Park and Planning Commission, three of them - Montpelier, Riverdale and the Surratt House - on the National Register of Historic Places. The sites included on the tour represent an architectural heritage and county history that spans three centuries.

"Montpelier" is undoubtedly one of the finest five-part Georgian mansions in America. It is located in Laurel at the intersection of Muirkirk and Maryland Route 197. Built between 1770-1785 by iron magnate Thomas Snowden, visitors have included George and Martha Washington and Abigail Adams.

"Riversdale," also known as the Calvert Mansion, was built by the Baron de Stier of Belgium between 1801 and 1803, and resembles the Chateau du Mick near Antwerp.

"Marietta," built by Supreme Court Justice Gabriel Duvall between 1800 and 1825, is on Bell Station Road in Bowie just west of Maryland Route 450. A two-and-a-half story T-shaped brick house, it is shown through the courtesy of Mr. and Mrs. Paul A. Scherer, who reside there and have life tenancy.

The Mary Surratt House, also known as Surratt's Tavern, was built by John H. Surratt in 1852, in what is now Clinton. The house became a part of the history of the Lincoln assassination after Mary Surratt became the first woman to be executed by the federal government for her alleged part in the conspiracy. The house has been restored by M-NCPPC and opened to the public on May 1, 1976.

The tickets, at a nominal charge may be purchased at any of the 17 sites on the tour. The price includes a tour booklet with a map, history and illustrations of the houses and churches on the tour. For more information call the tour headquarters in the Indian Queen Tavern at 441-1776 or 868-1121.

## LWV Hold Public Meeting on Election

The League of Women Voters will present "The Candidates and the Issues" tonight, Thurs., Oct. 28 at a meeting of the Mishkan Torah Sisterhood at 8 p.m. Interested persons are invited - location Ridge and Westway Roads.

## Leila Wallace

Mrs. Leila Wallace, 87, a resident of Greenbelt for twelve years, died Sat., Oct. 16 at Prince Georges Hospital. Mrs. Wallace, who lived many years at 15 Parkway, had been moved to the Manor Care Nursing Home about a year ago. Burial was at Ft. Lincoln.

Mrs. Wallace is survived by her son Charles F. Matthaei of Falls Church, Va. There are five grandchildren and ten great grandchildren.

## Our Neighbors

Elaine Skolnik - 474-6060

Congratulations to Dorothy and George Eshbaugh, 12-A Ridge, on the occasion of their 50th wedding anniversary on October 11. The Eshbaughs were one of Greenbelt's first families who moved in on October 1937. Over the years Eshbaugh served as a GHI board member, assistant postmaster, scoutmaster, etc. The Eshbaughs were charter members of the Greenbelt Community Church and Mrs. Eshbaugh was superintendent of the beginner's department in the Sunday School for 15 years. A reception for the couple was given at the church on Oct. 10 and their daughter, Marilyn Tastet, also feted them at the VFW in Lanham. Some 130 friends and family helped them celebrate.

Our very best wishes to Adele and Rudy Mund, who celebrate their 25th wedding anniversary on Nov. 4.

Glad to hear that Betty Polaschik, 12-D Ridge, is back home after recent hospitalization. We wish her a speedy recuperation.

First place winners in last week's duplicate bridge game were Helen Atwater and Helen McGlauchlin. Tony and Ann Pisano finished second.

## Women In Church History Community Church Series

An historical study group on "Women in Church History" begins on Thurs., Oct. 28, at 7:30 p.m. at Greenbelt Community Church. The four sessions will be led by the Rev. Sherry Taylor and will deal with the role of women in Pennsylvania and New York churches during the first half of the nineteenth century. The sessions are free and everyone is invited.

## Amnesty Comm. Meeting on Nov. 3

The Greenbelt Amnesty Committee will hold a post-election meeting at 8 p.m. on Wed., Nov. 3, in the Library conference room. At that time plans will be made to contact the successful presidential candidate and to meet with the newly elected U.S. Senator from Maryland and the Representative from Prince Georges County, to urge universal and unconditional amnesty for all those at risk because of their peaceful opposition to the Vietnam war.

Holy Cross Lutheran Church

6905 Greenbelt Rd.

Worship Services

8:30 and 11:15 A.M.

Sunday School 9:50 A.M.

Weekday Nursery School

9:00 - 11:30 A.M.

Phone 345-5111

Edward H. Birner, Pastor

## Friday Program Opens Jewish Book Month

"Jews, the Sabbath and the Written Word" — that is the title of an innovative Friday night service, marking the beginning of the Jewish Book Month and scheduled to be presented at Mishkan Torah on Friday, October 29 at 8:30 p.m. The service will feature selections from Jewish literature throughout the ages — stressing those related to the Sabbath — and will also include some of the lore of the Hebrew alphabet and written word.

On Saturday morning, October 30, at 9:30 a.m. the section on the Biblical flood will be read from the book of Genesis and Rabbi Kenneth Berger will discuss stories of the flood — in the tradition of the Jews and in those of other nations.

## Home Remodeling

Kitchens, Rec. Rms., Sun Decks, Additions, etc.

Call Don Soule'  
474-0881

Licensed, Have References.  
P.S. come see my addition at 4 Empire Pl. in Lakewood!

## MOWATT MEMORIAL United Methodist Church

Church School 9:30 a.m.  
Morning Worship 11 a.m.

Sermon:

"Alliance or Conquest?"

Rev. Clifton D. Cunningham,  
Pastor

474-3381 40 Ridge Rd. 474-9410

## GREENBELT COMMUNITY CHURCH

(United Church of Christ).

Hillside and Crescent Roads - Phone 474-6171 (mornings)

Sun., 11 a.m. — Worship Service and Church School  
(Infant Care at 2-B Hillside)

Thurs., 7:30 p.m. — Study Group

Rev. Sherry Taylor and Rev. Harry Taylor, Ministers

There is a place for you:

in our Bible Study

in our Worship Service

in our activities

Yes, you are invited.

## GREENBELT BAPTIST CHURCH

474-4212

Bible Study for all ages (Sun)

Sunday Worship

Mid-week Service (Wed)

For bus transportation, call church office 8:30-12:30 weekdays

9:45 am

11:00 am &amp; 7:00 pm

7:30 pm

## TO: G.H.I. MEMBERS

Report #21 on GNMA Deferral Monies to be Used

For Heat Conservation Programs

Total Deferral Funds	\$318,764
Total Interest Earned	16,769
Total Available	\$335,533

## Use of FNMA Mortgage Deferral Monies

Four Atomizing Burners (1974)	\$ 48,970
Conversion of 12 Court Ridge (1974)	5,800
Brick & Masonry Variable Temp. Controls (1974)	109,473
Conversion of 44 & 46 Courts Ridge (1975)	11,624
Fuel Meters (1975)	625
Conversion of 19 Plants in South End (1976)	134,900
Balance of Funds used on 23 Boiler	
Plant conversion (Laurel Hill) (1976)	23,739
Cost of Notices	402
	\$335,533

## Repayment Funds in Peoples National Bank

Collected through 1975	\$109,895
1976 Collections (9 months)	67,281
Interest Earned	9,570
	\$186,746
Certificates of Deposit	\$184,500
Savings Account	2,246
	\$186,746

October 26, 1976

James R. Foster

Treasurer

6%

Annual dividend paid quarterly — 0 — PLUS up to \$2000 free life insurance

## GREENBELT FEDERAL

## CREDIT UNION

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Greenbelt, Md. 20770 Phone: 474-5900  
Hours: Daily: 9-3 Saturdays: 9-1  
Friday evening 7-9

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The Campus Center for Early Learning is starting a Before and After Elementary School program October 4th at Brae Brook Apartment Community Center, Greenbelt, Maryland. Center hours are from 7 a.m. to 6 p.m. The program includes transportation from the Center to elementary schools in the morning, and transportation back to the Center after school. The Center will also have a pre-school program for children 2-5 years old. For additional information and registration, please call Ms. Marie Jacobsen, 345-8830.

**CERAMIC TILE** - Bathrooms, kitchens, foyers. New work & repairs. Free estimates. Call Bill 935-0791.

Will do all kinds of odd jobs. Reasonable rates. Free estimates. Call Doug, evenings 474-5582.

## CITY NOTES

It is expected that all curb and gutter work on Ridge Road should be complete soon. The general crew still has to apply the 4" asphalt base on the east shoulder. The curbing contractor is scheduled to begin work on Westway this week.

Some deteriorated guttering from the Youth Center building is being removed as well as part of a partition in the facility to enlarge an area for weightlifting.

Work has begun on preparation of the Parcel 7 playground area. Several additional benches were installed along the walkway from Centerway through the underpass. The leaf vacuum has been out as well as the chipper.

The paper collection last week netted 8 tons, 980 lbs. The increase is probably due to the discarding of old telephone books.

**LOST** - Grey and white cat, vicinity Springhill Lane. Will inspect any possibilities. **REWARD.** 441-1346.

**FOR RENT** - Boxwood Village - Four bedroom split with family room and den. \$450, 1 year lease. Available January 1, 1977, 345-8373.

**3 FAMILY YARD SALE** - 10 to 4 Sat. & Sun. Oct. 30-31 weather permitting. 11-H Hillside Road.

Babysitting done in my home. 3 years and up. 345-7698.

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**FOR SALE** - Royal elec. typewriter, full size, needs repair - \$25.00. Equalizer trailer hitch - \$5.00. Movie screen - \$10.00. Antique mahogany round table, needs refinishing - \$50.00. Assorted rugs. 474-8237.

**CARPENTRY** - Room additions, aluminum and vinyl siding - kitchens and bathrooms - licensed and insured with local references. Free estimates. 345-3850.

**KENMORE PORTABLE DRYER** - 120v, like new, \$50. Call 474-5810 after 6.

**WILL BABYSIT** in my home for 2 preschool children. Call 345-3089.

**BABYSITTER** - Daily, 2 children, near North End School. Call 474-0502 evenings.

**TYPIST NEEDED** - Call 474-0955 between 7 and 9 p.m.

**FOR SALE** - Grapefruit trees at 71-G Ridge. \$2.00.

**WANTED** - Babysitting jobs. Experienced, college age woman. Available 7 days/week, evenings only. 474-7183.

**FOR RENT:** 3 BR fr. home for rent - imm. poss. Lease to 8/31/77. Call 474-4161 or 474-4244.

## ANTENNA PROBLEMS

Sales & Service

Expert antenna man will install new/repair antenna for

Attic or Outdoors

Evenings  
474-5530

**POSITION VACANCY** - Police Officer-Patrolman - Grade GP-1, \$11,148.80 - \$14,809.60. Between age 21 and 35, high school graduate, drivers license, vision correctible to 20/20, not to exceed 20/70. Position available after January 1, 1977. Apply: City Offices, 25 Crescent Road, Greenbelt, Maryland. Phone 474-8000. The City is an equal opportunity employer.

**CARPENTER** - Box in your kitchen water pipe, or have covers built for your radiators. **FOR QUALITY CONSTRUCTION,** call 474-7375.

**TWO FAMILY YARD SALE** - Sat. Oct. 30, 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. 14 Court Laurel Hill.

## Halloween At Youth Center

All ghosts and goblins, witches and warlocks are invited to participate in Greenbelt's Annual Halloween activities Saturday, October 30. The Youth Center Gym will be the scene of the costume parade and judging for pre-schoolers through sixth graders, from 10 a.m. - 12 noon. Prizes will be awarded for the best costumes in the different age categories. There will be treats and surprises for all participants. Prepare your costumes and don't miss the fun.

## Recreation Review

Election Day Center Hours

The Greenbelt Youth Center and Springhill Lake Recreation Center will be open 12 noon to 11 p.m., Tues., Nov. 2, to accommodate youth on the school holiday. Activities include basketball, air hockey, ping pong, bumper pool, table soccer and table games.

**Craftsmen**

Don't forget to pick up applications for the Annual Greenbelt Christmas Craft Show and Sale at the Youth Center Business Office, Mon.-Fri., 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. The show will be held on December 3, 4 and 5. Space reserved on a first come, first served basis.

**HELP ! ! ! ! !**

Volunteers are needed for this year's Festival of Lights. Serve in any capacity, for as much or as little time as you wish to give. For information, call 474-6878.

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- "HER VOTING PERFORMANCE HAS DEMONSTRATED HER PATRIOTISM AND LEADERSHIP AND ALSO STRENGTHENED THE NATIONAL SECURITY."

citation from Retired Officers Association, PG Chapter

- "AS YOU SERVED THE PTA, CHILDREN AND YOUTH (OF PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY) WITH DEVOTION AND DISTINCTION, YOU ARE NOW SERVING THE PEOPLE OF THE NATION . . . I ASSURE YOU OF MY CONTINUED ADMIRATION AND SUPPORT."

constituent, Laurel, Md.

- "THE INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE OF POLICE ASSOCIATIONS, REPRESENTING MORE THAN 180,000 POLICE OFFICERS IS ENDORSING GLADYS SPELLMAN, BECAUSE OF HER SUPPORT FOR POLICE OFFICERS AND THEIR PROBLEMS."

International Conference of Police Associations

- "GLADYS SPELLMAN RANKS AMONG THE BEST IN CONGRESS FOR HER VOTES ON FOOD POLICY, EMPLOYMENT, NATIONAL HEALTH SECURITY, CRIMINAL JUSTICE REFORM AND HUMAN RIGHTS."

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- AFTER SELECTING A NUMBER OF ISSUES WHICH THEY FEEL ARE OF THE UTMOST IMPORTANCE TO THEIR MEMBERSHIP, THESE ORGANIZATIONS ARE AMONG THOSE RATING GLADYS SPELLMAN 100%.

National Council of Senior Citizens . . . National Education Association . . . Common Cause . . . League of Women Voters . . . Consumer Federation of America.

## REELECT Gladys Spellman - Democrat, to Congress

for Voter Information, transportation to the Polls or Baby Sitting, call 441-9500.

Authority of Joseph F. McBride, Treasurer



## Pops at Parkdale

An Evening of Light Music of today and yesteryear - show tunes - pop - rock - featuring the award-winning Parkdale High School Orchestra will be held Friday, November 5, at 8 p.m. in the Panther Room at Parkdale High School, 6001 Good Luck Road, Riverdale.

An admission charge includes snacks. Soft drinks sold separately. For further information and tickets, call 345-8763.

## Greenbelt Gets \$76,405

The city of Greenbelt will receive a projected amount of \$76,405 in Federal general revenue funds during 1976-77, according to an announcement by Congresswoman Gladys Spellman last week. General revenue funds are allocated to local subdivisions based on a formula that takes into account the amount of Federal tax dollars which residents of the jurisdiction have paid.

Under recent amendments, the program will be extended for another 3 and 3/4 years until the end of fiscal year 1980.

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## VOTE ON NOVEMBER 2

For

Jimmy Carter/Walter Mondale — PRESIDENT/VICE PRESIDENT

Paul Sarbanes — SENATOR

Gladys Spellman — CONGRESSWOMAN

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